

# SAFETY Training

## CLAIMS MANAGEMENT

Protocols associated with workers' comp claims management are common. There is significant importance in handling a claim correctly from start to finish that every professional should know.

By understanding the claims procedure, one can better understand the contractor's business strategy. Even if students never manage a claim, this session will help them grasp the process and a company's business strategy.

This course content includes:

- When an injury is compensable
- Completing a first report of injury to file a claim
- Reading DWC 25 uniform treatment reports
- Managing a medical only claim
- Completing an average weekly wage form
- Communicating with a claimant
- Eligibility and calculating indemnity payments
- Compensation calculation related to alternative employment
- Reaching maximum medical improvement
- Understanding impairment ratings

All participants will be provided with documentation covering all course content. A copy of the course slide deck will also be available.

### DATE & LOCATION:

**February 23, 2023**

**8:00 AM – 10:30 AM**

**ABC, 651 Danville Drive,  
Orlando, FL 32825**

### WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Safety Managers
- Field Managers (Foreman/superintendents)
- Project Managers
- Executive Managers

### REGISTRATION

**ABC Member - \$55**

**Non member - \$75**

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### **Presented by Timothy Bernardi, Safety Director at Mader Southeast**

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Timothy Bernardi has been working in Central Florida residential and commercial construction for 25 years. Over the course of his career he has worked on project management teams supervising construction of some of the Orlando area's most iconic and labor-intensive construction projects. Tim has spent more than a decade working in construction safety management. Working as the safety director for Mader Southeast, he has worked closely with general contractors and worker's compensation carriers – earning experience in claims management. "A basic understanding of fundamental workers' comp claims administration is essential for those seeking to excel in project and field management," he explains. "A contractor's team leaders should be able to engage with their insurance carrier – playing an active role to ensure every claim is managed properly."

